FILED in the office of the Secretary of State EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT AUG 1 5 2005 STATE OF CALIFORNIA Deputy Secretary of Stafe SPECIAL ELECTION PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA I, ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER, Governor of the State of California, do hereby proclaim and order that a special election shall be held on the 6th day of December, 2005, within the 48th Congressional District of the State to fill the vacancy in the office of Member of Congress from said district arising from the resignation of office by Christopher Cox. IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 15th day of August, 2005. ARNOLD SCHWARZENE¢G Governor of California ATTEST: BRUCE McPHERSON Secretary of State